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STATE OF DELAWARE **BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY PRACTICE** 

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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES: **Board of Occupational Therapy Practice** 

MEETING DATE AND TIME: July 11, 2018 at 4:30 p.m.

PLACE: 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware

Conference Room A, Cannon Building

MINUTES APPROVED: September 5, 2018

## **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Mara Beth Schmittinger, Professional Member, President Karen Virion, Professional Member Angelita Mosley, Public Member, Secretary Kelly Richardson, Professional Member Even Park, Public Member, Vice President

#### MEMBER ABSENT

All members present

## **DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT**

Kevin Maloney, Deputy Attorney General Mary Melvin, Administrative Specialist II

## **OTHERS PRESENT**

Haley Ulrich Jennifer Catts Christine Howe Elizabeth

Amanda Reese Carol Leasheski

Meline Vizzachero Ann Neal

Tara Gallagher **Christina Connors** Karly Stayton Amy Gottesman Anne Schrimmer Sharna Middlemas Danielle Rowe Maria Rappucci Cakeisha Smith Megam Phillips DeAnne Suariz Jennifer Bowden Sharon Wilnckoski Rick Dressel Judy Wolff Lori Porter

Kimberly Eastburn **Brook Hailey** Geraldine William James Miller

Donna Perry Uchenna Onunkwo

Morgan Patino Ashley Ortiz Kathy Caudle Jill Olshenski Board of Occupational Therapy Practice Minutes July 11, 2018 Page 2

Paula Linder Julia Marshall Audrey Burt Gail Wells Ella Ferrer Joel Ferebee Debra Holloway

## **CALL TO ORDER**

Ms. Schmittinger called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.

# **REVIEW OF MINUTES**

The Board reviewed the meeting minutes from May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018 for approval. A motion was made by Ms. Schmittinger, seconded by Mr. Park, to approve the minutes. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

<u>Discussion of Continuing Education Requirements</u>

The board reviewed the proposed regulatory draft and voted to send to the registrar. A motion was made by Ms. Schmittinger and Seconded by Ms. Virion. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

# **NEW BUSINESS**

Ratify Applications for Occupational Therapist/Occupational Therapy Assistant

A motion was made by Ms. Schmittinger, seconded by Ms. Richardson, to ratify the approval of the following applications:

- 1. Alexa Viguers (Occupational Therapist)
- 2. Ashley Seiver (Occupational Therapist)
- 3. Meaghan Hanrahan (Occupational Therapist)
- 4. Melissa Lehner (Occupational therapist)
- 5. Lindsey Reid (Occupational Therapist)
- 6. Elissa Farrar (Occupational Therapy)
- 7. Shiney Smiley (Occupational Therapy)
- 8. Quinn Tattersall (Occupational Therapist)
- 9. Christopher Clark (Occupational Therapist)
- 10. Lee Ann Chan (Occupational Therapist)
- 11. Lauren Transue (Occupational Therapist)
- 12. Suzanne Raffellini (Occupational Therapist)
- 13. Taylor Samer (Occupational Therapy Assistant)
- 14. Sharon Walters (Occupational Therapist)
- 15. Crystal Wilson (Occupational Therapist)
- 16. Kaitlyn Schroeder (Occupational Therapist)
- 17. Michelle Klinger (Occupational Therapy Assistant)
- 18. Alyssa Jacobs-Beazer (Occupational Therapy Assistant)

By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

# Review of Continuing Education

A motion was made by Ms. Schmittinger and seconded by Ms. Richardson to approve the continuing education as followed:

# EDUCATA/Oncology section of the APTP-Marilyn Pink

Certified Edema Specialist Workshop -Hours 56

## Christine Howe

OTA Program Advisory Committee Meeting-DTCC George Campus- Hours 1.5

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### Catherine Kelly

Communications Skills for Working with People Who Have Dementia-Hours 2

#### Bayada Home Health-Elizabeth DiCormzo

Managing Challenging Behaviors -1.5 Hours

# Mary Fieni

OTA Program Advisory Committee Meeting-1.5 Hours

#### Beckett Farris/Numotion

Vibration Exposure in Everyday Wheelchair-1 Hour
Small Clients, Big Decisions; Approaches in Pediatric Seating-Hours-1
Facing Forward: What's up with my Neck and Head-Hours 1
Custom Molded Seating: The Challenge of Capturing Complex Shapes-Hours 2
24 Hour Posture Management: lying for a better outcome-Hours 2
Choosing a Wheelchair Seat Cushion- Hours 1
Seating Evaluations for the Home Health Therapy-Hours 2

#### Richard Dressel III

Exercise Benefits People with Parkinson's-Hours 6

#### Cheri Szymanski

Therapeutic Interventions for Cognitive Disability- Hours 5

## Request for Inactive Status

The board reviewed and approved the request for inactive status for Kate Oakley. A motion was made by Ms. Schmittinger and Seconded by Ms. Richardson. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

# **CORRESPONDENCE**

There was no correspondence.

### OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD (FOR DISCUSSION ONLY)

There was no other business before the Board.

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

There was no public comment.

# **NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING**

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, September 5th, 2018 at 4:30 p.m. in Conference Room A, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, Ms. Schmittinger made a motion, seconded by Ms. Richardson, to adjourn the meeting. By unanimous vote, the motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 5:16 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Mary Melvin

Administrative Specialist II

The notes of this meeting are not intended to be a verbatim record of the topics that were presented or discussed. They are for the use of the Board members and the public in supplementing their personal